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MENLO'S "PORTALS OF THE PAST" JUBILEE PARADE FLOAT MOTIF

A beautiful float representing the "pioneer days" of Menlo Park has been arranged by the Native Sons and Daughters of the Golden West who belong to the local parlors.

The float is called "Pioneer Days" and will consist of the old gate erected in Menlo Park in 1842 by Oliver & McGlynn which will be mounted on a truck. There will be a gravel roadway leading up to the gates which will bear the legend "Portals of the Past." This roadway will be lined with trees and will present an exact replica of the old days in Menlo Park. The float will be further decorated with appropriate flowers. The truck will be drawn by four dapple gray horses and 50 members of the two parlors, dressed in old time costumes will march on each side of the float while six men and six ladies will ride on it.

The local float has been assigned to one of the best positions in the parade, being near the head of the pageant section. It should win one of the prizes if there are any.

Following the parade the entire Menlo Park delegation will proceed to the Clift Hotel for dinner followed by a reception.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY NOW FRAMING ANTI-SHOOTING LAW

District Attorney Franklin Swart is now engaged in preparing an ordinance, which if adopted by the board of supervisors, will prohibit the shooting of dove and quail in Townships 1, 2, and 3 of the county.

This action is the result of numerous complaints to the sheriff and police officers of Redwood City it is said, from householders in the outskirts of the county seat, who complain that hunters fill their houses with bird shot, break glass and even endanger citizens by the promiscuous use of fire arms in the vicinity.

The dove season opened this week and it is reported that the marsh was alive with men who ventured too near the dwellings, hence the complaints.

MACHINE CRASHES INTO WALL TO AVOID COLLISION

At noon Wednesday an accident which might have proven seriou occurred at the intersection of Valparaise avenue and the Highway, when a car driven by Mrs. N. M. Molitor of San Jose caused Mrs. F. B. Carpenter of San Francisco to swerve into the fence surrounding the Mrs. Robert McNally home to avoid a head-on collision.

Mrs. Carpenter and her guest, Mrs. W. H. Culver of New York City were taken to the Palo Alto Hospital for treatment but were not baddly injured. In Mrs. Carpenter's machine were here sister, Mrs. E. W. Hallowell and Mrs. E. J. Meier, of San Francisco, who were both uninjured.

Mrs. M. J. Ross was a passenger in Mrs. Molitor's machine and although their car was badly damaged, neither was injured.

MORE WORKERS ARE EMPLOYED IN CALIFORNIA INDUSTRY

The August number of the California Labor Market Bulletin just issued by the State Labor Commissioner, Walter G. Mathewson, shows an increase of nine per cent in the number of wage earners employed in the state industries in July, 1925, compared with the preceding month. The bulletin is based upon reports received from 674 large California establishments who employed 159,750 workers in July last. The total payroll for these firms for the month of July was $4,432,821, an increase of 3.2 per cent over the preceding month.

The largest increases in employment are shown in the canning and preserving of fruits and vegetables and in the canning and packing of fish, the percentage increase being 150 in the former industry and 56 in the latter. Other industries showing substantial increases in employment are rubber products, iron and steel forgings, glass, tin cans, and brick, tile and pottery products.

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PLANS MADE FOR P.-T. A. MEETING NEXT FRIDAY--PROGRAM

The executive board of the Menlo Park Parent-Teacher Association held an important meeting in the school auditorium on Thursday afternoon at which time the following matters were discussed:

The duties of members of the board which consists of all officers and chairmen of the various standing committees were pointed out and explained as many of the members are new in the work. The plan to form an orchestra for the school also received consideration and a committee composed of Miss Blanche Clark, W. S. Bower and Mrs. Chas. Parsons appointed to interview the parents and children to ascertain their attitude in the matter. The traffic question was discussed but no action was taken. Mrs. Dorothy Smith was selected to represent the P. T. A. and assist in the formation of the Girl Scout Troop in Menlo under the supervision of Miss Meta Kugeler. It was announced that subscriptions which had been obtained for the P. T. A. and Child Welfare Magazine in June would commence with the September issue owing to the fact that the county federation had not turned them in promptly.

The regular meeting of the association is to convene at the school auditorium at 2:30 o'clock next Friday afternoon and a splendid program is being arranged by Mrs. J. E. Cooper, program chairman and Mrs. A. E. Thomas, child hygiene chairman. A musical program will be rendered and the subject for the day will be "Child Training, in the Home and School." Miss Pansy J. Abbott, county superintendent of schools will deliver the principal address and it is expected that if possible, a mother will deal with the home training aspect of the question and a teacher will give the other side. A round table discussion will conclude the program.

Officers of the P. T. A. are very anxious that this year's work shall at least equal the splendid record made by the association last year and hope if possible to exceed it, therefore every man or woman in the community who has the welfare of the child at heart is urged to join and lend a hand in this noble cause. It is a non-political, non-sectarian organization striving for the advancement of childhood and is deserving of the support of every loyal American. Attend the meeting next Friday and join in the good work.

TELEPHONE COMPANY HAS TALLEST BUILDING IN STATE

"One death to a floor" is the old fatalistic theory of builders. Had this adage been true, the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company's new building on New Montgomery street, San Francisco, would have resulted in twenty-six deaths. However, the building, which is the tallest in the State, was constructed without the loss of one life.

In the work of construction the builders made use of the services of an expert safety engineer, whose duties were confined to safeguarding the lives and limbs of 450 men who made up the average daily crew. For this work, J. J. Rosedale, for ten years chief construction engineer of the California Industrial Accident Commission, was selected.

One of the principal hazards of the construction was the fact that two adjacent eight-story buildings had to be kept intact, although the foundations of the new structure extend 28 feet below the foundations of its neighbors.

In addition, this job, completed without the loss of a life, included the placing of 6.000 tons of structural steel, 70,000 yards of concrete, 2,500,000 bricks and 100 carloads of terra cotta.

Mrs. J. E. Cooper spent Wednesday in San Jose on a shopping tour.

Mrs. H. H Bearce entertained the members of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church at her home on Santa Cruz avenue Thursday afternoon. A delightful program was rendered and refreshments served by the hostess.

CALIFORNIA

California's Diamond Jubilee Poem by Jos. Barnett

Domain where nature's fairest fact
Relfects the charm of morning's glance,
Its rivarly of strength and grace
The mirrored soul of all romance.

Adventure's most alluring name,
The best beloved of fortune's quest,
A world frontier whose beacon flame
Lights all the highway of the West.

Its winnowed wealth, its treasure trove,
The ages' hoards, for him who dares;
The teeming fruits of field and grove
Awaiting him who plants and cares.

Where yesterday the herald bells
Awaked a distant, dreaming land,
Its commerce throbs and culture dwells,
Its orchards bloom and cities stand.

The State whose buoyant life looks on
To farther field and ocean ways
And sees beyond tomorrow's dawn
The shining sails of future days.

DECREASE OF ONE CENT IN NEW TAX RATE SEEN

There will be a reduction of one cent in the new tax rate for San Mateo county, it was learned authoritatively at Redwood City this week, following a secret session of the board of supervisors, when the financial affairs of the county were fully discussed.

Although members of the board refused to comment on the meeting, it is known that rates of $2.96 per $100 of assessed valuation for land outside incorporated cities and $2.46 per $100 of assessed valuation for land inside incorporated cities was decided upon by the supervisors.

What county improvements are contemplated by the supervisors under the new budget could not be learned as members of the board declined to discuss the procedure at the meeting. However, it is believed that a number of new road projects were conisdered and that money for these may be provided in the new tax levy.

SCHOOLS WILL HOLD EXERCISES ON SEPTEMBER 17th

The following letter has been sent out by Pansy Jewett Abbott, county superintendent of schools, and is self-explanatory:

September 1, 1925.

To San Mateo County Teachers:—
GREETINGS

Hon. Will C. Wood, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, suggests that September 17, 1925 marks the 138th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the United States. Inasmuch as the teaching of the Constitution is required by law in the schools of California and inas much as the young people of the State should become acquainted with the spirit of this great document, he requests that the day be observed in a fitting manner in all the schools of the State by holdinng suitable exercises in civics classes or general assemblies.

Vry truly yours,
Pansy Jewett Abbott,
County Superintendent of Schools.

SAFETY INSPECTIONS SHOW BIG INCREASE

That the safety department of the Industrial Accident Commission is showing greater activity than at any other period since its organization is indicated by the report of the department for the fiscal year 1924-1925, which has just been completed. A total of 16,768 inspections were made by the department during the fiscal year as compared with a total of 10,932 inspections made during th fiscal year 1923-1924, which is an increase of 53 per cent and is the greatest number of inspections made in any one fiscal year in the history of the commissiion. By divisions the number of inspections were as follows:

Mining, 2,007; Construction, 3,773; Elevator, 4,733; Boiler, 2,685; Mechanical, 2,009; Electrical, 456; Lumber, 905.

NATIVE,S BIG CARD PARTY PROVES BIG SUCCESS

As an unqualified success the card party held by the Native Daughters last Thursday night was a top notcher. A large number of players were present and many fine scores were made during the evening.

William Jamieson of Redwood City secured the beautifly floor lamp that has been on exhibition for some time and to say that Bill is highly pleased with the lamp is not nearly strong enough.

The final dance before the big Jubilee Celebration will be held tonight in Duff & Doyle hall and a large crowd will be in attendance from all appearances. These dances have been very successful both from a social as well as a financial stand point. The money derived from all of the entertainments provided by the Native Sons and Daughters has been used to defray the expenses incurred for the big Diamond Jubilee Celebration in San Francisco and it is reported on good authority that they have raised enough so that they are clear of debt.

The attendance of all who desire to assist in this work is solicited at tonight's dance. Good music will be in attendance and a general good time is assured all who attend.

COUNTY TO HAVE FINE EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

San Mateo county is to have an unusually attractive exhibit at the state fair in Sacramento, which opens today, according to announcement from Redwood City.

The front of the booth represents the typical forest scene in the mountains west of Redwood City. It also shows the nursery stock and agricultural industry of the Colma ditsrict. There is a special exhibition from Ravenswood and the East Palo Alto section of the county, including poultry, plants and fruits.

The Leslie Salt Works will have an exhibit in the San Mateo booth, the Portland Cement company will have an exhibit showing how cement is manufactured, and the other industries of the county will be properly displayed, including the story of steel as it is told in South San Francisco.

PALO ALTO HIGH SCHOOL WILL REOPEN SEPT. 14th

Palo Alto Union high school will reopen Monday, September 14th according to an announcement made by Principal Walter H. Nichols. New pupils will register on Thursday and Friday, September 10 and 11. An exceptionaly large enrollment is anticipated this term.

Dr. Louis Strauss, dean of the Belgian parliament and world famour political economist, will visit Stanford University tomorrow, according to word received at the office of President Ray Lyman Wilbur. Dr. Strauss is first vice president of the Belgian National Chamber of Commerce and was formerly head of the port of Antwerp.

ADMISSION DAY PARADE TO BE GREAT HISTORICAL PAGEANT

On September 9, the day of the Diamond Jubilee Admission Day parade, San Francisco and her countless jubilee guests will be thrilled by a spectacle more colorful and impressive that words can picture.

California's romantic story will be told from the navigator period down to the present day by the different parlors of the Native Sons and Daughters. Brilliant floats, historical units, a veritable blaze of glory. It will be as though the pages were turned one by one and from them the high lights in the history of California were offered in living forms.

Supervisor J. Emmet Hayden on Monday summed up the description of this great pageant in the following manner:

"I don't think we need to emphasize the importance of this parade, but from the standpoint of pageantry there has nothing been attempted along these lines before in the history of California. I think it will leave an impression that we will always remember, and it will certainly be typifying the purpose of the day, the 75th aninversary of California's entry into the union."

One of the outstanding features of the parade not to be forgotten is the "Covered Wagon Babies." Judge J. C. Needham of Modesto, originator of this charming idea, has accepted the honor of presiding at "The Covered Wagon Babies" reunion banquet to be held in the tapestry room of the Palace hotel the night before the parade.

MENDENHALL'S WINDOW IS PRIZE OF THE CITY

The windows of the Mendenhall Company present one of the finest spectacles sceen in this city in many a long day. While all of the windows are artistically draped and trimmed the one which contains the California Bear and two little children is the finest by all means.

The back ground in this window is a beautifully executed painting of high mountain peaks and woods while in the fore ground is a large brown bear facing a little girl who from all appearances is not in the least afraid. Around the bear's neck is tied a collar of red gold and green, the California Jubilee colors. In the opposite corner of the window is a school house and another little girl about to enter. This is a typical scene of California as it was in the years gone by and as it rose to nearly first place in the Union educationally.

The work in this window was all done by George Towle, who deserves much credit for this fine exhibit.

PLAN OFFERED TO REDUCE FIRE HAZARD

Plans are now maturing which when completed, will, it is hoped, materially reduce the forest fire hazard in Santa Cruz, Santa Clara and San Mateo counties, according to announcement made by County Fire Warden Bert Werder of San Mateo county.

State Forester M. D. Pratt has just concluded a visit to the county fire wardens of Santa Cruz, Santa Clara and San Mateo counties, and he was accompanied on this tour of inspection by State Ranger George I. Gillette.

The fire wardens of the three counties will ask the owners of mills and timber to have the "slash" cleaned up a ssoon as possible and thus reduce the fire hazard. Adequate fire protection is also to be strongly recommended by the wardens of the three counties. The wardens will recommend to the owners of mills that fire trails be constructed and kept up. This was a point stressed on the fire wardens by State Forester Pratt.

The wardens of the three counties are now working on plans for closer co-operation among the counties so that the fire hazards in forests will be reduced to a minimum.

The Menlo Park Branch Library will not be open as usual on Tuesday on account of the Diamond Jubilee celebration in San Francisco.

EXCELLENT PROGRAM PRESENTED BY MENLO STUDY CLUB MONDAY

Menlo Park Study Club resumed meetings last Monday afternoon in the parlors of the Presbyterian church here. A short business meeting was held at two o'clock at which time full reports of the County Federation meeting held in South San Francisco were given by Mrs. Jay T Cooper and Mrs. E. Gardner.

An invitation was received from the Runnymede Woman's Club to participate in their carnival to assist in raising funds for a swimming pool at the Veteran's Hospital here. The affair is scheduled to be held in the Sequoia Union High school grounds on Saturday, October 31. No action was taken on the matter at Mondays meeting.

Three new members were voted into the club as follows: Mrs. H. A. Chandler, Mrs. Ralph Smith and Mrs. H. W. Harbaugh.

Mrs. W. S. Bower sent in her resignation as secretary, which was accepted with regrets and Mrs. F. Kurtz appointed as secretary pro tem. Mrs. A. E. Thomas was appointed as treasurer, pro tem in the absence of Mrs. T. Stentiford, the treasurer. Mrs. L. E. Harris was elected secretary by the executive board following the meeting.

A number of guests enjoyed the delightful program given in the auditorium immediately following the business session which consisted of the following numbers:

Singing of "America, the Beautiful" by the audience.

Instrumental selection by Mrs. O. A. Bradley.

"Father Serra and His Work" by Mrs. E. Gardner in which many interesting facts about the pioneer missionary were brought out. Mrs. F. Kurtz gave the story of "The Missions—Industries, Wealth and Daily Routine in which she presented views of different historians on the missions and left the facts as she had found them for each to form her own conclusion. Some of the writers very highly praised the Mission work in the early days, while others saw things to criticise. One and all, the historians agree that Father Serra, who commenced the great work was a wonderful character, inspired with a loving zeal for the poor Indians.

The history of the "Bells of San Gabriel" with their pretty romance interwoven was given by Mrs. Thos. Hampton and the program was concluded by another piano selection by Mrs. Bradley.

Mrs. Jay T Cooper and Mrs. Gordon Lambe acted as hostesses and served tea and cakes and a pleasant social hour was spent.

TELEPHONE COMPANY STILL WORKING ON PROJECT

The Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company is engaged in a project here which will cost approximately $17,000. This work provides for the placing of nearly six thousand feet or nine hundred pair underground cable along the highway from Palo Alto to Menlo Park. For a proper distribution of these new facilities it is necessary to place two thousand six hundred feet of aerial cable in various locations throughout this district. According to J. D. Worthington, manager here, this is necessitated by the general expansion of this territory which has resulted in greatly increased demands for service. The work is to be completed about the first of November.

J. W. EATON HOME IN ATHERTON DESTROYED BY FIRE

The home of J. W. Eaton on Selby Lane was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. The alarm was turned in to both the Menlo Park and Redwood City departments but the house was doomed before they could reach the conflagration. They firemen devoted their energies to saving adjoining buildings with the use of chemicals.

Damege is estimated at about $1500 and it is believed that the fire was caused from defective wiring.

A. J. Bolfing has returned to Menlo Park from Salinas where he has been spending the summer months.

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SEALED TIGHT KEPT RIGHT

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Study of the German language will be obligatory in Bulgarian primary and grammar schools during the coming year. This has been announced in a governmental decree by the Bulgarian premier.

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Irish Goods for Ireland

Dublin's industrial development association has installed a permanent exhibition of Irish manufacturers in St. Stephen's green, where many varieties of articles that Ireland produces are prominently on view. Full-page advertisements from the firms exhibiting appear in the Dublin newspapers and a vigorous campaign is instituted to induce the purchase in Ireland of Irish goods.

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The BLACK GANG

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"BULLDOG" AGAIN

SYNOPSIS.—To a gathering of anarchists in Barking, London suburb, Zaboleff, foreign agitator, tells of the operations of a body of men who have become a menace to their activities. He says they are masked and wear long black cloaks and are acting without the law. He is interrupted by the men he is describing (the Black Gang), who break up the meeting, sentencing some of the participants to condign punishment and carrying away others. A memorandum found on Zaboleff gives an address in Hoxton, which the leader of the attacking party considers of importance. Sir Bryan Johnstone, director of criminal investigation, hears from Inspector McIver, sent to arrest Zaboleff the night before, of his discomfiture. He had been seized and chloroformed and his raid frustrated.

CHAPTER II—Continued

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"Great Scott! I hope not," cried Hugh in alarm. "Phyllis gave me complete instructions about the brutes before she toddled off. I make a noise like an ant's egg, and drop them in the sink every morning. No, old lad of the village, it is something of vast import: a stain upon the escutcheon of your force. Last night—let us whisper it in Gath—I dined and further supped not wisely but too well. In fact I deeply regret to admit that I became a trifle blotto—not to say tanked. Of course it wouldn't have happened if Phyllis had been propping up the jolly old home, don't you know: but she's away in the country with the nightingales and slugs and things. Well, as I say, in the young hours of the morning I thought I'd totter along home. I'd been with some birds, male birds, Tumkins"—he stared sternly at Sir Bryan, while McIver stiffened into rigid horror at such an incredible nickname—"and when I left it was about 2 a. m. Well, I wandered along through Leicester square, and stopped just outside Scott's to let one of those watering carts water my head for me. While I was lying in the road, steaming at the brow, a motor car went past, and it stopped in Piccadilly circus."

McIver's air of irritation vanished suddenly, and a quick glance passed between him and Sir Bryan.

"Nothing much you observe in that, Tumkins," he burbled on, quite unconscious of the sudden attention of his hearers. "But wait, old lad—I haven't got to the motto yet. From this car there stepped large numbers of men: at least, so it seemed to me, and you must remember I'd recently had a shampoo. And just as I got abreast of them they lifted out another warrior, who appeared to me to be unconscious. They put him on the pavement and got back into the car again just as I tottered alongside.

"'What ho! souls,' I murmured, 'what is this and that, so to speak?'

"'Binged, old bean, badly binged,' said the driver of the car. 'We're leaving him there to cool.'

"And with that the car drove off. There was I, Tumkins, in a partially binged condition alone in Piccadilly circus with a bird in a completely binged condition.

"'How now,' I said to myself. 'Shall I go and induce yon water merchant to return'—as a matter of fact I was beginning to feel I could do with another whack myself—'or shall I leave you here—as your pals observed—to cool?'

"I bent over him as I pondered this knotty point, and as I did so, Tumkins, I became aware of a strange smell."

Hugh paused dramatically and selected another cigarette, while Sir Bryan flashed a quick glance of warning at McIver, who was obviously bursting with suppressed excitement.

"A peculiar and sickly odor, Tumkins," resumed the speaker with maddening deliberation. "A strange and elusive perfume. For a long while it eluded me—that smell: I just couldn't place it. And then suddenly I got it: right in the middle, old boy—plumb in the center of the windpipe. It was chloroform: the bird wasn't drunk—he was doped."

Completely exhausted Hugh lay back in his chair, and once again Sir Bryan flashed a warning glance at his exasperated subordinate.

"Would you be able to recognize any of the men in the car if you saw them again?" he asked quietly.

"I should know the driver," answered Hugh after profound thought. "And the bird beside him. But not the others."

"What did you do then?" asked Sir Bryan.

"Well, I brought the brain to bear," answered Hugh, "and decided there was nothing to do. He was doped, and I was bottled—so by a unanimous casting vote of one—I toddled off home. But Tumkins, while I was feeding the goldfish this morning—or rather after lunch—conscience was gnawing at my vitals. And after profound meditation, and consulting with my fellow Denny, I decided that the call of duty was clear. I came to you, Tumkins, as a child flies to its mother. Who better, I thought, than old Tum-tum to listen to my maidenly secrets? And so . . ."

"One moment, Hugh," Sir Bryan held up his hand. "Do you mind if I speak to Inspector McIver for a moment?"

"Anything you like, old lad," murmured Drummond. "But be merciful, remember my innocent wife in the country."

And silence settled on the room, broken only by the low-voiced conversation between McIver and his chief in the window. After a while a strangled snore from the chair announced that Drummond was ceasing to take an intelligent interest in things mundane.

"He's an extraordinary fellow, McIver," said Sir Bryan, glancing at the sleeper with a smile. "I've known him ever since we were boys at school. And he's not quite such a fool as he makes himself out. You remember that extraordinary case over the man Peterson a year or so ago. Well, it was he who did the whole thing. His complete disability to be cunning utterly defeated that master-crook, who was always looking for subtlety that wasn't there. And of course his strength is absolutely phenomenal."

"I know, sir," said McIver doubtfully, "but would he consent to take on such a job—and do exactly as he was told?"

They were both looking out of the window, while in the room behind them the heavy breathing of the sleeper rose and fell monotonously. And when the whole audience is asleep it ceases to be necessary to talk in undertones. Which was why Sir Bryan and the inspector during the

"My Business Won't Take You a Minute," Sir Bryan.

next ten minutes discussed certain matters of import which they would not have discussed through megaphones at the Savoy. They concerned Hugh and other things, and the other things particularly were of interest. And they continued discussing these other things until, with a dreadful noise like a racing motor back-firing, the sleeper sat up in his chair and stretched himself.

"Tumkins," he cried. "I have committed sacrilege. I have slept in the Holy of Holies. Have you decided on my fate? Am I to be shot at dawn?"

Sir Bryan left the window and sat down at his desk. For a moment or two he rubbed his chin thoughtfully with his left hand, as if trying to make up his mind.

"Would you like to do a job of work, old man?"

Hugh started as if he had been stung by a wasp, and Sir Bryan smiled.

"Not real work," he said reassuringly. "But by mere luck last night you saw something which Inspector McIver would have given a good deal to see. Or to be more accurate, you saw some men whom McIver particularly wants to meet."

"Those blokes in the car you mean?" cried Hugh brightly.

"Those blokes in the car," agreed the other. "Incidentally, I may say there was a good deal more in that little episode than you think: and after consultation with McIver I have decided to tell you a certain amount about it, because you can help us Hugh. You see you're one up on McIver: you have at any rate seen those men and he hasn't. Moreover, you say you could recognize two of them again."

"Good heavens! Tumkins," murmured Hugh aghast, "don't say you want me to tramp the streets of London looking for them."

Sir Bryan smiled.

"We'll spare you that," he answered. "But I'd like you to pay attention to what I'm going to tell you. Last night a very peculiar thing happened to McIver. He and some of his men in the normal course of duty surrounded a certain house in which were some people we wanted to lay our hands on. To be more accurate there was one man there whom we wanted. He'd been shadowed ever since he'd landed in England that morning, shadowed the whole way from docks to the house. And sure enough when McIver and his men surrounded the house, there was our friend and all his pals in one of the downstairs rooms. It was then that this peculiar thing happened. I gather from McIver that he heard the noise of an owl hooting, also a faint scuffle and a curse. And after that he heard nothing more. He was chloroformed from behind, and went straight out of the picture."

"Great Scott!" murmured Hugh, staring incredulously at McIver "What an amazing thing!"

"And this is where you come in, Hugh," continued Sir Bryan.

"Me!" Hugh sat up abruptly. "Why me?"

"One of the men inside the room was an interesting fellow known as Flash Jim. He is a burglar of no mean repute, though he is quite ready to tackle any sort of job which carries money with it. And when McIver, having recovered himself in the morning, ran Flash Jim to ground in one of his haunts he was quite under the impression that the men who had doped him and the other officers were pals of Flash Jim. But after he'd talked to him he changed his mind. All Flash Jim could tell him was that on the previous night he and some friends had been discussing business at this house. He didn't attempt to deny that. He went on to say that suddenly the room had been filled with a number of masked men, and that he'd had a clip over the back of the head which knocked him out. After that presumably he was given a whiff of chloroform to keep him quiet, and the next thing he remembers is being kicked back into activity by the policeman at—" Sir Bryan paused a moment to emphasize the point—"at Piccadilly circus."

"Good Lord!" said Hugh dazedly. "Then that bird I saw last night sleeping it off on the pavement was Flash Jim."

"Precisely," answered Sir Bryan. "But what is far more to the point, old man, is that the two birds you think you would be able to recognize and who were in the car, are two of the masked men who first of all laid out McIver and subsequently surrounded Flash Jim and his pals inside."

"But what did they want to do that for?" asked Hugh in bewilderment.

"That is just what we want to find out," replied Sir Bryan. "As far as we can see at the moment they are not criminals in the accepted sense of the word. They flogged two of the men who were there last night, and there are no two men in England who more richly deserved it. They kidnaped two others, one of whom was the man we particularly wanted. Then to wind up, they planted Flash Jim as I've told you, let the others go, and brought McIver and all his men back to McIver's house, where they left them to cool on the pavement. And what I want to know is this. If we give you warning would you care to go with McIver the next time he has any job on, where he thinks it is likely this gang may turn up? We have a pretty shrewd idea as to the type of thing they specialize in."

Hugh passed his hand dazedly over his forehead.

"Sort of mother's help you mean," and McIver frowned horribly. "While the bird biffs McIver, I biff the bird. Is that the notion?"

"That is the notion," agreed Sir Bryan. "Of course you'll have to do exactly what McIver tells you, and the whole thing is most unusual. But in view of the special features of the case . . . What is it, Miss Forbes?" He glanced up at his secretary, who was standing in the doorway, with a slight frown.

"He insists on seeing you at once, Sir Bryan."

She came forward with a card, which Sir Bryan took.

"Charles Latter." The frown deepened. "What the deuce does he want?"

The answer was supplied by the gentleman himself, who appeared at that moment in the doorway. He was evidently in a state of great agitation and Sir Bryan rose.

"I am engaged at the moment, Mr. Latter," he said coldly.

"My business won't take you a minute, Sir Bryan," he cried. "But what I want to know is this. Is this country civilized or is it not? Look at what I received by the afternoon post."

If "Bulldog" Drummond is going to mix up in the case things certainly will be interesting. And who's Charles Latter?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Enviable Immunity

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Wild pigeons have multiplied in Oslo to such great numbers that they are now a public nuisance. The people have been kind to them and given them food, and from their nests under the eaves of the houses they swarm the streets. One of the worst evils which they have brought with them is the insect nuisance. Millions of insect eggs, brought to the roofs by the pigeons and hatched out in the nests, invade the houses and have become a veritable pest. The medical authorities have requested the people to kill every pigeon coming in their way and have urgently appealed that no more food be given the birds. The women's society for the protection of animals protested against this appeal, maintaining that "it is immoral to starve dumb beasts." Having been convinced, however, that the birds are capable of finding their food themselves, the society has ended its opposition and from now on the war on the pigeons will go on in earnest.

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Nature Embossed Carved Initials

An American beech tree was cut down about one mile north of Morrisville, Pa. On splitting a section of this tree into firewood a remarkable work of nature was brought to light.

On one of the pieces of wood were plainly embossed the initials "A. J. D., J. E. D., 1839," and on the other piece were letters and figures exactly corresponding to the embossed ones, says Nature Magazine. A careful examination shows that the tree must have been about sixty-seven years old when the initials were cut. The embossed part was nearest to the bark.

It is supposed that the tree, in growing, gradually overgrew the part with the initials cut in it, when its tissue was pressed into the mold-like initials, forming genuinely embossed letters and numerals. Who has a better explanation? What a story of love or romance! The sections of wood are owned by Henry Moon of Morrisville, Pa.

Couldn't Kill Romance

Forty years to the day after he had planned to wed Miss Emma Aldrich, John G. Gilmartin married her. Their engagement was broken off when she was fifteen, because of parental objections. Both married other persons, who died a few years ago.

Not Entirely Ignorant

He—"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing." She (caustically)—"Well, at least you know that much."

There Is No Justice

We see where Dr. Lewis Evans has given 63 astrolabes to the University of Oxford, and when we think of all the worthy people who are struggling along without a single astrolabe to their name, we can hardly bear it.—Newark Advocate.

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BUSINESS CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVING

The banks, the thermometer of business, along the peninsula report that business is improving and when the banker sees improvement in general business conditions it is not long before all branches of business feel the improvement. Of all places in the world, this peninsula is the most ideal for both business and residence. It has the finest climate in the world, barring none, and as a businss center it ranks easily first, with its rapid means of transportation, both passenger and freight, with plenty of room for factories and the most beautiful sites for fine homes this is as it should be. There is no reason why business should not improve.

BOOST MENLO PARK ORGANIZATIONS

Menlo Park has two organizations that all should get behind and boost to the limit. They are the Parent-Teacher Association and the new Girl Scout Troop.

The Parent-Teacher Association has filled a place in the school life of the community that could not be reached by any other. While its name would lead one to believe that it was composed entirely of parents and teachers, such is not the case. Any one who has a love for the boy or girl of school age may join whether they have children or not. They may assist in the work with their advice, money and work and do a great deal toward helping the youngsters and keeping our school at its present high standard.

The same whole-hearted aid should be given the Girl Scout Troop that has been tendered the Boy Scout Troop. The motive behind the Girl Scouts is the same as that behind the Boy Scouts. We have already seen the good that the members of the Menlo Park Troop of Boy Scouts have derived from their organization. Let's give the girls the same chance. The aims and ideals are the same and the highest in either case and we would ask our readers to assist the Girl Scout movement to the limit.

There is no time like the present, the past is dead and the future uncertain, so let's all get behind the P. T. A., and join if possible, the Girl Scouts and the Boy Scouts.

INCORPORATION MOST NECESSARY NOW

Any one with half an eye can see that the incorporation of Menlo Park is one of the most essential matters of the present time and should be taken seriously by all who reside in the community. Without a doubt there are no two people that view the situation from the same angle, but nevertheless the opinion prevails among most all of the business men that this is the proper course to pursue.

Whatever the outcome of the present court proceedings may be, incorporation should be carried to completion without delay. If the court decides that the original map shall stand our citizens should vote to incorporate if the court on the other hand rules that the supervisors were acting within their right in cutting down the territory and that the amended map shall stand, vote to incorporate just the same. The additional territory can be annexed at a later date. Matters of this kind always adjust themselves if given time and the proper thought.

In the event that the town is incorporated it would be well to divide it into five districts or wards and then elect a trustee from each ward, a man who knows the needs of his district, and in this way the affairs of the municipality will, without a doubt, be properly and economically administered.

Great care should be taken to select men for the city offices who are qualified to fill them, men who are big enough and broad enough to look at matters from an impartial standpoint and who will not let the little differences that come up daily interfere with the careful and efficient fulfillment of their duty as town officers.

The advantages of incorporation are legion and should be carefully considered. All local situations could be intelligently handled, streets could be paved, traffic on the streets handled and laws enacted to control those things which arise daily and which at this time cannot be controlled.

The cost of a city government should not be excessive and if properly handled should make very little difference in the tax rate.

It might be well to say that if Menlo Park is incorporated and officers elected, it will be the people who do the electing and it is therefore up to them to elect men who can and will fill the bill.

At any rate incorporation is necessary, so let's all boost the old home town to the position is should hold among the cities of our state by incorporation, and then start out to make it the best town in the state to live in.

FIVE RING CIRCUS IS REALIZED AT LAST

Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Enlarged to Accommodate New Big Acts

At last the five ring circus!

For years reporters have used this figure of speech to describe the bigness of the Greatest Show on Earth. Now, for the first time in history, patrons will actually find five rings when the greater Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey circus of 1925 comes to San Jose on September 8.

With the addition last winter of enough performing horses to bring the Big Show's total to three hundred and fifty the problem presented to the Ringling Brothers was, "How handle five troupes of them in a single display?" The limits of the show grounds in many cities forbade lengthening the main tent. None of the stages could be spared. All were needed for the big collective groups of human actors. Then somebody suggested that though the "big-top" paraphernalia could not be cut down nor yet "spread out," there was no reason why it should not be "built higher." That suggestion was worked out and now, in addition to the three dirt-floored rings, two additional rings have been constructed to fit over the tops or the steel structured stages.

This is the greatest innovation since the Ringling Brothers started their super-circus policy by combining their own with the Barnum & Bailey circus. It has opened the way not only for trained horse numbers in sets of fives but for other big, new displays.

Though there are more than eight hundred men and women arenic stars on the mammoth program of 1925 only a few of the most brilliant are presented singly. Instead they are presented in imposing ensemble. These groups extend over the entire length of the huge main-tent—seven, —nine, as many as eleven troupes in action at one time. In keeping with this plan of giving the spectators at the ends of the tent just as much "show" as is enjoyed by those nearer the center, five herds of elephants are now presented instead of three. A hundred clowns distribute their capering in all parts of the "big-top."

The hippodrome track is utilized more than ever before. At one time it is completely circled by one hundred and fifty trained horses, each ridden by an expert, in an amazing ballet and "Fete of the Garlands." Again it is filled with glittering pageants, with splendid high-school horses or remarkable thoroughbreds that give thrilling exhibitions of lofty hurdling and hazardous high-jumps.

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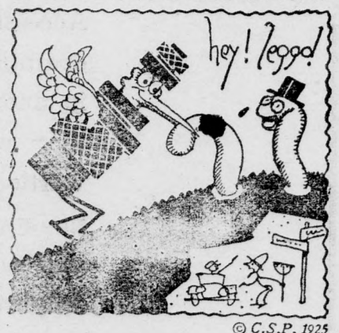

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Says:

The early bird catches the worm and a snappy spark plug catches the race.

I'd rather be a spark plug than a bird. All I ask is to be kept clean and changed every 10,000 miles.

AUTO LAUGHS

Will Rogers says: "At the cross roads I asked the farmer, 'Where does this road go?' Says he: 'It don't go nowhere. It's always been here.' I think he must have read Mark Twain."

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CIRCUS DAY

By HARRY LEE

IN OCTOBER SMART SET

Sure we was! Why, we seen 'em unload,
Me an' Daddy did! Sure! An' y' know,
Was me got up first, an' called Daddy,
An' told him it's time we mus' go.
Daddy jes' stretch an' gap—
An' set up in bed an' say:
"What's up!" jes' like he forgot;
An' I tell him: "Why, Circus Day!
An' we're li'ble to miss it, too,
'Cause wagons are rumblin' by!"

An' Dad says: "By George, if it ain't!"
An' jumps up, an' says we mus' try
Be quiet, so's not to 'sturb Mother.
We hurry out then! An' run!
"Can't ketch me, I bet!" Daddy says.
But I did, though! An' boy, we have fun!
An' cut 'cross the fields where is weeds.
All the gang—an' Skinny—is there!
Daddy says 'at he didn't know,
Was *so many kids*—anywhere!

An' there was a tent with a chimley!
An' breakfast a-cookin'! An' tables as long—
As the Sunday School Picnic has;
An's a black man, singin' a song,
Puttin' cups down, an' plates!
An' a cage, where sumpin' go: "Ouf!"
An' there's a giraff, 'way up,
Lookin' down, with hay in his mouf!
Yes, an' all sorts o' monkeys there, too!
An' elephunts—all in a row—
Tails ketched up in their trunks;
An' they swing by us—jest as slow!

Then I ask Daddy, "Where is the Clowns?"
An' he says: "Oh, sleepin', I spose;
Clowns got to sleep, like rest o' folks!"
Then I tell him, 'at first thing he *knows,*
I'm *gonto be one! Then he's sprized!*
An' says 'at he didn't know,
But some day he'd be gettin' in free—
'Cause is me would be ownin' the show!
But I ain't gonto own it! No sir!
I'm 'cided to jes' be a Clown!

Gonto climb up an' walk on a wire—
An' holler—and tumble down—
An' fall on the loose thing—an' bounce—
An' get slapped wiv a board, an' run
With my breeches a-flyin' behind—
An' red on my nose! An' have fun!
Jest all th' time fun! An' flip-flops!
An' ride in the prades *through the town—*
With the clyopee *blowin'! Oh boy!*
Bet you wisht you could be—a Clown!

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NEWS COMEDY TOPICS OF THE DAY

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 AND 7

"A Son of His Father"

A stirring tale of the Arizona border country with the plot woven around a band of smugglers that is over-running the country. The time is present, but the band, by its daring, has transformed the civilized into the primative.

COMEDY NEWS REVIEW

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 AND 9

"The Man Who Found Himself"

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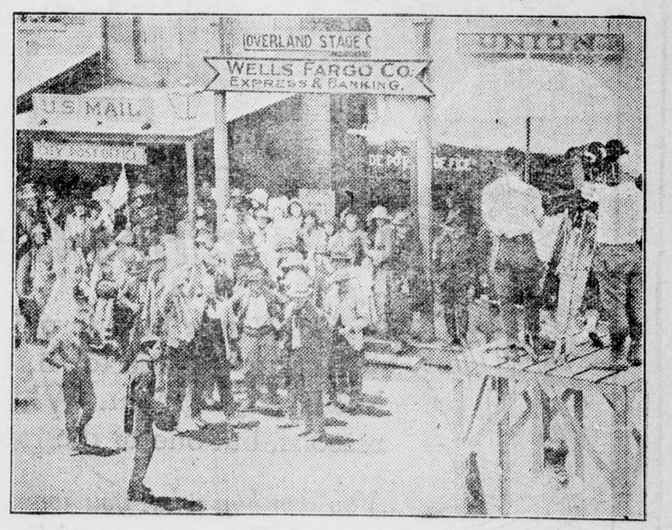

"Oldtimers" who were in Sacramento during the days of gold of the fifties and sixties will recall this scene from Second Street as it appeared in 1859. The postoffice next to the old Union Hotel, the Wells Fargo office, the Eureka Cafe—over 900 feet of street was faithfully reproduced recently for the picturing of the latest western film epic, "The Pony Express." Hundreds of carpenters worked for three weeks in perfecting every detail, from the wide-plank sidewalks up to the shake-shingled awnings.

In front of the old Wells Fargo Banking & Express office the pony express race ends. Just 7 days and 14 hours after a copy of Lincoln's inaugural address left St. Joseph, Mo., it arrived here—2,000 miles on horseback over trackless wilds in less than 8 days!

Wells Fargo Bank & Union Trust Co. of San Francisco, descendants of Wells Fargo & Co., who were operators of the pony express, provided Director James Cruze with much of the authentic material necessary to accurately film the picture.

NEW TIME TABLE FOR S. P. EFFECTIVE NEXT SUNDAY

Jos. Veverka, Southern Pacific agent, reports that a new time table will go into effect on Sunday next. There are a number of changes in the new schedule and those who use the drains daily to go to and from work or business would do well to get a copy of the time table at the depot and study it so as not to miss their trains.

TAX INSALLMENT DUE SEPTEMBER FIFTEENTH

The statements for the third installment of income taxes for the year 1924, which fall due on Tuesday, September 15, have been mailed to 30,000 taxpayers from the office of the collector of internal revenue, John P. McLoughlin. This tax must be paid within the next two weeks.

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ARTICLE FOUR

IDEALS AND WHEAT

Social cooperation must be truly voluntary in order to be really effective; it crumbles easily under compulsion

Illustrations by Albert Levering.

FOR many years, America has held the leading place among the world's producers of wheat. The story of American wheat raising is interwoven with that of our commonwealth itself, and must be considered by anyone who would understand the great nation-building forces that have given this land its present character.

It began with the coming of the earliest settlers. No sooner had they cleared small patches of soil than they planted therein the seed-wheat brought with them on the long ocean voyage. They were in revolt against unjust restrictions, and sought greater freedom of opportunity. Thus they brought ideals as well as grain with which to seed the virgin soil of a new world—ideals of individual initiative, voluntary, not enforced, cooperation, and the incentive for labor that is found in private ownership of the fruits of toil. Such ideals imparted optimism and energy to the new civilization that now began to force its way irresistibly across a savage continent, planting wheat as it went.

Ahead was ever the lure of new and cheap soil and the thrill of adventure which called to the restless pioneer spirit. Again and again the wheat-growers pushed onward.

The great movement westward, to which gold as well as golden grain had joined its lure, became a tide, sweeping forward in waves, each of which bore on its crest a period of great prosperity.

The reaping machine came to facilitate production, railroads began to stretch their lines into the new regions and were joyously acclaimed by the settlers who found in them a means of access to wider markets. Industries sprang up in the older settled regions, creating more and more demand for wheat.

The pioneer impulse, that began on the rocky soil of New England and was carried on by later arrivals from the North of Europe, left behind it an empire beyond the utmost dreams of the early settlers, an empire achieved by severe toil of brawn and brain.

We have today some 114,000,000 people, about one-third of whom consist of farmers and their families. Our 500,000,000 acres of improved farm lands are valued at seventy-eight billion dollars. Our total agricultural product amounts to almost fifteen billion dollars a year.

These material resources are greater than those of any other nation. But the real explanation of our progress is not material; the richer resources lies in the initiative and self-reliance of our people first established in that process of self-selection which drew hardy, liberty-loving adventurers away from the greater comforts of an older civilization. To these we owe the discovery and development of our material resources and to these we owe the creation of a nation and a social system based on ideals of equal rights, equal opportunities and equal responsibilities.

The value of this system becomes clearer if we contrast American conditions with those, for instance, prevailing in sorely tried Russia. Before the War, that great land was second only to the United States in wheat production and had an average export of 162,000,000 bushels, half again as much as the exports from the United States. Afterwards this excess supply gave way to deficit and Russia was forced to call for millions of bushels from outside sources. What had happened? The broad plains still had their native fertility; the skies were still friendly and the rains still bountiful; millions of farmers trained to the growing of grain still were to be found throughout the land, yet *Russia imported wheat* where once she exported it.

Why? Because of the absence of exactly those rights and privileges which we of America have come to regard as a matter of course. The peasant farmers, having learned that any surplus over their own needs was liable to be seized by the government and being forced to common use of land without private ownership, no longer produced that surplus, and the nation was impoverished when it might have become rich. The hand is wanting in energy when the heart lacks opportunity and purpose. Social cooperation must be throughly voluntary in order to be effective; it crumbles under compulsion.

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Adventures in Non-sense

By THOMAS J. GLYNN

"How's business?" asked the man at the information desk.

"Couldn't be sweeter," smiled the candy man.

"Dark out-look," quoth the night-watchman.

"Picking up," chirped the street-sweeper.

"Winding up," said the watch-maker.

"Hit and miss," snarled the boxer.

"Laying down," moaned the carpet man.

"Moving slow," gloomed the molasses king.

"Developing," laughed the photographer.

"STUCK," growled the glue magnate.

A rolling stone gathers no moss, but moss decays stone.

Fine feathers don't make fine birds but they do make fine beds.

He who laughs last don't bite his tongue when he closes his mouth.

A perfect day seldom follows a sultry night.

"Why do you always read those fiction magazines?

"Well 'truth is stranger than fiction.' Strange things are hard to believe, and I like to read something I can believe."

Love laughs at locksmiths, but remember, it's the lock that does the actual work.

Pat: "I pretty near saw a fight yesterday. A Turk bumped into a Pole."

Fat: "And didn't they fight?"

Pat: "Naw. 'Twas the telephone pole."

Girls May Be MAIL Clerks, But They'll Never be MALE Clerks

Said the old lady on the local that stops often but not long:

"My but you train men get tired of a thing quickly."

"Howzat, ma'am?" politely asked the conductor.

"Why you no sooner stop at a station than you all say, 'Board' and the train moves on."

"Harry, when did they come to a show-down?"

"One night when she failed to show up."

"Doctor, doctor, come quick, father drank canned heat and now his hair's turning red."

"Loan me a fiver?"

"Can't, I just got back from the laundry myself."

"What's that mean?"

"I'm **cleaned** and **pressed**. Cleaned of coin and pressed for cash."

First Gas-Bag—"I sprang from a long line of peers."

Second Likewise—"That's nuthin', I've jumped off a few docks m'self."

There was a young fellow named Ruckett
Who strolled down the street one day,
And seeing a shiny new bucket
He took it and scurried away.

A cop found it later, all dented,
Where it had been left by Ruckett.
Said he, "The sap must be demented
To so foolishly thus "kick the bucket."

Many a divorce has been granted for cross words that were not puzzles.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES TO CLOSE SUNDAY EVENING

The tent was full last Sunday night and it is expected that the last few closing days of the revival in the big tent at Palo Alto avenue and the Highway, Mayfield section, will be the best of all. Friday night, the Evangelist will bring a message on "The Second Coming of Jesus." This very timely message has aroused much interest and is a theme all need to study. Saturday, a rest night and then the great closing service at 7:45 Sunday evening. All are invited to come and enjoy these helpful services.

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1 EZ STOOP SEZ HES LIVED IN A BUNGALOW SO LONG HE GITS DIZZY IN A TWO-STORY HOUSE
2 ALF SEEDIE REMARKS THAT HE USUALLY FEELS WELL GROOMED UNTIL HE FACES TH' MIRRORS IN A CITY CLOTHING STORE WHILE BUYIN' A NEW SUIT!
3 ANNIE PROOT SEZ MANY A GUY WHOS HARD BOILED IN HIS OWN HOME TOWN SUDDENLY BECOMES SOFT BOILED WHEN SPOKEN TO HARSHLY BY A CITY TRAFFIC COP
4 BEN WHITE SEZ HIS WIFE STILL TALKS ABOUT GETTING HER HAIR BOBBED AN' ACTS DISAPPOINTED BECUZ HE HAS WITHDRAWN HIS OBJECTIONS
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CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

United States Marshal Frederick Esola was ordered by Federal Judges John S. Partridge and Frank H. Kerrigan to seize sixteen wineries located in various parts of California for alleged violations of federal permit regulations. The violations include mysterious so-called "leakages" and misrepresentations of amounts on hand. The wineries, under the orders issued, will be padlocked and a deputy United States marshal left in charge of each until court proceedings are concluded. The usual process is to order the destruction of the impounded wine, in this case amounting to more than 364,000 gallons. The court order covers the following wineries: Three at Santa Rosa, two each at Cloverdale, Calistoga, St. Helena, Geyserville and one each at Etna Springs, Ukiah, Healdsburg, Preston and Philo.

Plans for a subway at the Miner avenue crossing of the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific railways have been approved by engineers for the city of Stockton and the raliroad companies. The subway, as now proposed, will have a span of about eight hundred feet. The cost has been estimated at $215,000, which the state railroad commission has ordered equally divided between the city and the railroads. Of the railroads' share, the Southern Pacific was allocated 60 per cent and the Western Pacific 40 per cent. The city voted bonds for the project in 1924. The subway will be located on a main artery of travel leading to the district north of Stockton.

Troop B, 11th United States cavalry, whose permanent station is the Presidio of Monterey, won great distinction while in summer camp at Camp Lewis, Washington, it is indicated by the trophies brought back, according to army headquarters. Besides winning the praise of the division and regimental commanders, the troop won the cup awarded to the organization having the best barracks and the cup presented to the best associate organization in the camp. The C. M. T. C. associate of Troop E of the 11th cavalry also won the cup presented to the organization having the best barracks in the C. M. T. C. units.

Fresno will have at least one hundred marchers in the Diamond Jubilee parade in San Francisco on Admission Day in addition to a gorgeous float carrying Miss Vera Blasdell, Miss Fresno in the 1925 statewide beauty pageant. The delegation will be uniformed in white with neckties and hatbands in jubilee colors. Harry E. Ish, president of the club, is head of a special committee to promote the marching delegation. The other committeemen are H. R. Freeland, I. W. Emmons, Leon Diamond, Leon Camy, O. G. Redmond and W. R. Thomas.

California produced more gold during 1924 than the combined total of its two closest competing sections of the union, Colorado and Alaska, according to statistics made public by the treasury at Washington. California's production was valued at $13,085,700. Colorado was second with $8,699,900, and Alaska, once the world's leader in gold production, was third with $6,275,000. The production of 1924 was the greatest since 1919. More than $52,277,000 reached refineries and the treasury during that year.

Road bonds approximating $50,000 were declared invalid when Superior Judge Edward I. Butler of Marin county ruled to enjoin the levying of assessments against Corte Madera property holders or the issurance of bonds. The ruling was made on the ground that although all of the preliminary legal steps up to the advertising of the award of contract were made within the law, the city of San Rafael failed to comply with provisions of the law in that step.

Subscriptions to the Santa Barbara earthquake relief fund totaling $22,500 were announced at the local offices of the Southern Pacific and Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroads. The Southern Pacific gave $15,000, according to President William Sproule, while Traffic Manager J. R. Hayden gave the amount of the Santa Fe's donation as $7,500. The Southern Pacific's contribution was allotted one-half each to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Falling short of one hundred years of life by a few months, William B. Brown, pioneer Californania and said to be the oldest Shriner in the world, died at the home of his daughter in Berkeley. The deceased crossed the plains by ox team in 1849 and in 1850 settled in the Suisun valley, where he resided until the age of 75. At that time he decided to see something of the far north and made a trip to Alaska, remaining in that country for one year.

The Electric Storage Battery Company of Philadelphia has acquired land on Third street, north of Paul avenue, San Francisco, for the construction of a $200,000 plant for assembling, shipping and warehousing of batteries, according to word received by the industrial department of the chamber of commerce. The plant will employ about one hundred persons.

Father William Boland, for ten years a professor of philosophy at the University of Santa Clara, appointed president of Seattle college, Seattle, Wash.

A new $200,000 grandstand will be erected at the state fair grounds. Work will be commenced immediately at the close of the coming exhibition.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the residence of D. M. McEwen, San Francisco insurance man, in San Mateo. The loss is estimtted at $15,000.

William A. Cheney, 77, state senator from Plumas county in the '70s and later a superior court judge in Los Angeles, died recently. He was a native of Boston.

Approximately two hundred delegates were on hand at the combined national conventions of the United Veterans of the Republic and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the order, held at Monterey.

A forest fire broke out in San Juan-Capistrano canyon, ten miles west of Elsinore, in Cleveland national forest. Fifty fire fighters were drafted on the streets of Elsinore and rushed to bttle the flames.

The chamber of commerce of both Los Angeles and Pasadena will join hands in construction of an elaborate float which will be entered in the parade of September 12 as representative of their county.

San Fernando valley will have a population close to 100,000 by January 1, 1926, and a purchasing power of $50,000,000, according to estimates being made by the San Fernando valley forward movement.

The sale of the Sausalito municipal water system to the Marin municipal water district is contemplated, and the city council will meet with the directors of the district in the near future to discuss the proposal.

After a stubborn all night battle, more than three hundred men succeeded in bringing under control the forest fire which swept 1,200 acres on King's mountain, seven miles wast of Redwood City, recently.

Calipatria, a little Imperial valley town, was surveying its toll of the severe windstorm which struck the town late at night on August 25, with one dead, fifteen injured and property damage estimated in excess of $82,000.

Dr. A. W. King, Redlands pioneer, celebrated his one hundred birthday anniversary recently. Among hundreds of telegrams of congratulation received by the former Salem, Ind., man was one from President Coolidge.

Supervisors of San Luis Obispo, Ventura, Kern and Santa Barbara counties, meeting at Santa Barbara to plan a highway from the San Joaquin valley to the coast, over the mountains, decided to build the road, at at approximate cost of $2,000,000.

Cotton bolls are ready to "pop open" in the cotton fields near Oroville, according to Horace Onyett, who is one of the leading individual growers of the district. Indications are that enough cotton will have ripened to permit picking again.

John Roll, veteran member of the Santa Clara county board of supervisers and one of the organizers of the California County Supervisors' Association, which he served as treasurer and president, died at the county hospital. He was 73 years old.

Fire, caused by overheated carbon lamps, ignited a mammoth silk velour curtain in a picture set tt Universal studios, throwing twenty actors and five hundred extras into a panic. Firemen put out the blaze after $20,000 damage had been done to studio sets.

The town of Avon, Contra Costa county, and the $5,000,000 refining plant of the Associated Oil Company were threatened with destruction by a fire which swept through several buildings at the plant and burned for four hours before being brought under control. The loss was estimated at $500,000.

A modern facility for use in the care of the school child's health, a "healthmobile," which contains a hospital and dental parlor, is making a round of scores of educational institutions in Los Angeles and vicinity. The unit was assembled on an automobile truck body under the direction of the department of health and correction.

Proposed shortening and reconstruction of the Pacific highway between Redding and Dunsmuir, which is California's main thoroughfare to the north, will save motorists $500 a day, or $183,000 per year, the state highway commission declared in a bulletin issued recently. An average of 1,000 vehicles a day use the Redding-Dunsmuir road during the year.

James Radford, resident of San Francisco, was elected president of the California State Firemen's Association at the closing session of its annual convention held at Sacramento. Other officers elected to serve with Radford are: J. B. Holmes, Pasadena, first vice-president; A. W. Boothby, Sacramento, second vice-president; A. Alcovich, Redlands, recording secretary, and H. E. Strasser, San Diego, treasurer. Long Beach was chosen by the firemen for their meeting place next year.

A small tract of land in California on a fork of the Tulare river in Tulare county was withdrawn from the public domain for outdoor recreational purposes. A highway traverses the area from the San Joaquin valley to the Sierra mountains. The park will be for fishing, day outing and camping. The action was taken in line with the plan of the national conference on outdoor recreation.

Certificates permitting practice as certified public accountants have been granted to thirty-six candidates, according to announcement by the state board of accountancy.

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Bishop Waldorf said in an address in Wichita:

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"'I tell ye, young fellers, in this race for success, it ain't enough to know how to push yerself along—ye got to know how to push the other fellow out o' the way.'"

Not to Blame

Surgeon General Ireland of the War department was discussing the reformation of drug victims.

"To reform these people is a difficult thing," he said. "Whenever I look at a collection of drug victims, with their sensual mouths and weak chins, I can't help thinking of the Chinese proverb:

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A California Case

W. E. Hedges, rancher, 707 Dela Valla St., Madera, Calif., says: "My back became lame and when I stooped it was difficult to straighten because of the terrible pains through my back. I was laid up for four days. My kidneys acted irregularly and disturbed my rest at night. I also suffered with pains in my head. I used Doan's Pills and they cured me."
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Garland of Stanford Park have as their house guest this week, Miss Marcia Hanson.

Practically all of the stores in this enterprising town will be closed on Labor Day and Admission Day.

The windows of Cook's Safety Electric Works are rapidly taking on a Jubilee look as Mrs. Moore places the decorations in them.

The Menlo Park Grammar School will be closed on Monday, Tuesday der to allow the pupils to properly dey to allow the pupils to properly celebrate California's birthday.

Mrs. Thomas Stentiford and her daughter, Miss Beatrice, are expected home from a two months visit to Mrs. Stentiford's old home in England.

Captain Charles Whitaker of the Menlo Park Fire Department was a guest of the Redwood City firemen at their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

Miss Grace Hamilton returned from the Horse Show at Stockton with the $500 stake won by her polo pony, "Timmie" which she rode. Mrs. W. P. Roth also won a number of ribbons for her entries.

The E. S. Heller trophy for the best three-gaited high school class horse will be awarded at the horse show schedued to take place at the Menlo Park Circus Club on Saturday, September 19.

A very successful traffic raid was conducted at Santa Cruz avenue and the Highway on Wednesday evening, several hundred machines being "hauled in" for headlight violations.

J. E. Cooper, authorized Ford dealer reports many orders coming in for the new Ford cars but says that there will be no deliveries until some time in October.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Garland, parents of J. J. Garland who have been visiting here for the past few weeks left for their home in Wellington, Kansas on Wednesday. They returned via the southern route and expect to stop for a visit to the Grand Canyon.

The many friends of Mrs. J. E. Reiter will be sorry to hear that she was taken to St Mary's Hospital, San Francisco Wednesday on account of sudde nillness. Mr. and Mrs. Reiter were planning to leave with a party of tourists accompanied by Archbishop Hanna on a Holy Year pilgrimage to Rome, but on account of Mrs. Reiter's illness the trip had to be cancelled.

Menlo Park Troop, Boy Scouts Will hold its next Meeting a week from Monday on account of Monday being a holiday. It is hoped that all of the boys will be present and on time (7:00 p. m.).

The store of Aspinall and Ryan presents a busy appearance these days and from all appearances this enterprising firm will be compelled to build an addition soon to house their every incerasing stock.

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Mrs. Lelia R. Wishon of Los Angeles has purchased the Cardinal Hotel according to an announcement made Tuesday. The deal which is the largest ever put over in Palo Alto was made by A. B. Peterson, president of the Cardinal Hotel Company. Mrs. Wishon also owns a half interest in the Lankershim Hotel of Los Angeles and the Whitecotton in Berkeley.

Many improvements are contemplated for the Cardinal and the capacity of the structure will be doubled either by adding new stories or by building another building at the rear. One more floor and a roof garden will be added in any event and the investment will then represent about a half million dollars.

John S. Conover, who resided in Palo Alto and other peninsula cities for the past 40 years, was instantly killed when he fell from the branches of the tree he was pruning just as his daughter called him to dinner on Wednesday. He resided at 127 Lytton avenue. Conover was born in Monterey and is survived by a widow, two sons and a daughter.

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Miss de Leleu, whose life is full of music, says there can never be too much of a good thing and so she had a victrola with a squat body and compact insides riveted in her canoe and found that her paddling improved to the fox trot rhythm of "Let Me Linger Longer In Your Arms," a song she has made favorite among vaudeville fans.

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